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GENERAL ORDERS REORGANIZING THE ARMY.1

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Headquarters, Camp Chennubee, October 30, 1813

It having been found necessary for the benefit of the public Service that a part of the mounted Gun men heretofore Attached to the redgiment of Volunteer Cavalry commanded by Colonel John Coffee Should be organized into a Seperate and destinct regiment to be commanded by officers elected for that purpose The commanding General therefore orders that his army Shall be organized as follows towit

The first and Second regiments of Volunteer Infantry the first Commanded by Colo Bradley the Second by Colo William Pillow Shall compose the first Brigade and be commanded by Brigadier General William Hall—the first and Second Regiments of militia Shall compose the Second Brigade and be Commanded by Brigadier General Isaac Roberts. The Regiment of volunteer Cavalry lately commanded by Colo John Coffee and now by Colo John Alcorn—The mounted Gun men heretofore attached to the volunteer Cavalry and now organized into a Seperate and destinct Regiment and Commanded by Newton Cannon Colonel and Robert Allen Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Murray first major and Richard Boyd Second major be organized into a Brigade of Cavalry and mounted Gun men and be commanded by John Coffe as Brigadier General.

By order of the commander in Chief.

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